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FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE:

ANKENBRAND ELECTED

CHARLESTON, IL.--Dr. Larry Ankenbrand, Associate Dean for the College of Health, Physical Education and Recreation at Eastern Illinois University, has been elected President of the Illinois Association for Professional Preparation in Health, Physical Education and Recreation.

The association was founded in 1948 to enhance the professional preparation of undergraduate and graduate students in the fields of health, physical education, recreation, and related areas.

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Today it has approximately 30 member institutions.

As the president, Ankenbrand will arrange an operating calender for the year, conduct all Executive Committee meetings and General Session business meetings and preserve and dispatch pertinent correspondence. He will also prepare conference program publicity for the association's state convention and invite special guests to their yearly conference.

"I will try to work for better preparation for our professionals and cohesive concepts of Health, Physical Education and Recreation," said Ankenbrand, who is currently organizing the association's yearly conference to be held February 2nd and 3rd of next year in Monticello.

Ankenbrand graduated from Eastern Illinois University in 1959 with a Bachelors degree in Physical Education. He received a Masters degree in Administration from Indiana State University and a Doctorate degree in Physical Education from University of Missouri, Columbia, MO.

Ankenbrand, who has been a teacher and an administrator at Eastern for 21 years, lives in Charleston with his wife, Maureen. They have four children.

